



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Examiner: Julio J. Maldonado**

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## For: A Low Dielectric Constant Film Produced From Silicon Compounds Comprising Silicon- Carbon Bonds

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
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Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on 12/1, 2004 with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED NOVEMBER 1, 2004**

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 1, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 1, 2004, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicant believes that no additional fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/AMAT/2592.C7/KMT, for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

**The Pending Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.